

current in the Malayalam papers such as the 'Yogakshemam', 'Jnninambudiri', etc., about the observance of hartal by some Nambudiris on the 71st birthday of H. H. the Maharaja;

(b) has the Government taken any cognisance of the grievances which prompted them to observe the hartal and does the Government propose to remedy the grievances at any early date?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(a) Yes

(b) Government are not satisfied that there is ground for any grievance.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Was not the hartal observed on account of the long delay to pass the Nambudiri Regulation?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—That was the fact stated in the press report.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—May I know how it was ascertained that there is no ground?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—It is simply because there have been opposite factions and we cannot say that because the Bill has not been passed there is legitimate grievance for the whole of the community.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Were there not memorials?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—There were memorials from either party.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Am I to understand that there is want of grievance because there is an opposite party?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Want of grievance means there is no grievance for the whole of the community.

Memorial submitted by Nambudiris.

83. **Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.**—(a) Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have received a copy of a memorial (സമരപത്രം) submitted by the Nambudiris to H. H. the Maharaja on the occasion of the 71st birthday of His Highness;

(b) if so, will a copy of the same be placed on the Table of the House;

(c) what action has been taken on the same?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(a) Yes.

(b) A copy of the memorial is placed on the Council Table.

(c) It was recorded.

Publication of the price of paddy.

84. **Mr. K. T. Mathew.**—With reference to question No. 122 of the last Budget Session regarding the publication of

the price of paddy in the Gazette, will the Government be pleased to state whether they will consider the matter of publishing the price of paddy in the Gazette in future?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—The Member is referred to the answer to part 2, sub-division (b) of question No. 122 of the Budget Session of 1104. Government do not consider it necessary to restore the old practice.

Pazhanji Lower Secondary School.

85. Mr. K. T. Mathew.—Will the Government be pleased to state whether it was not brought to the attention of the Government in the last Budget Session that the Government Lower Secondary School at Pazhanji should be shifted to newly constructed Government buildings; and if so, whether the matter has already received the attention of the Government, and if not, whether it will soon receive the attention of the Government?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—Yes. The work of putting up a permanent building for the school will be taken up early next year. In the meantime the P. W. D. has been asked to attend to the urgent repairs that will be necessary to keep the existing building going till the new building is ready for occupation.

Panangai Lane in Kunnankulam.

86. Mr. K. T. Mathew.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—(a) what steps have been taken by the Government to widen Panangai Lane in Kunnankulam village; (b) whether this work will be completed by the end of this year?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—(a) The matter is under consideration of Government.

(b) No assurance can be given. The work will be taken up as early as practicable.

Mr. K. T. Mathew.—How long has the matter been under the consideration of the Government?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—If I remember right, for the last three or four years. I think this question has come up during the last three or four years.

Mr. K. T. Mathew.—Please refer me to the numbers of the questions.

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—I do not particularly mean by the word 'question' this particular interpellation but the question of improving the Panangai Lane in Kunnankulam has come up before the Government for the last three or